

Deaconesses and Deacons serve people who are in

1 2 3 4

Finish the sentence by unscrambling the words and filling in the boxes. (Hints are in the stories below.) Match the numbers of the letters in the circles with the blanks at the end of the sentence to find out what they do.

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Jesus spent time with people who were lonely or sad. Deaconess Olivia visits people in hospitals and care homes to bring comfort and joy to them.

Jesus prayed, and showed others how to pray. Deacon Andrew leads music, worship, and prayer to help people be closer to God.

Jesus climbed a hill, told some stories, broke bread and fed 5,000 people. Deaconess Nita helps hungry people find food today.

Jesus walked along a road to Emmaus, teaching his friends about God's love. Deaconess Karen helps people study God's word in Bible classes and Sunday Schools

## Everyone is called to serve.

Circle the word in each group that does not belong. Write it on the numbered line to discover the answer.

Each of 1 is 2 through 3  
4 to 5 6 into 7  
 the 8 9 10

as Christ has \_\_\_\_\_

- 1. ball (us bat)
- 2. sun moon called
- 3. slide swing our
- 4. night baptism day
- 5. old brown go
- 6. tall short our
- 7. cold all hot
- 8. world pool water
- 9. running serving walking
- 10. others go stop
- 11. tiger served lion
- 12. top bottom us

God has given each of us special skills that we can use to care for other people. Answer these questions:

**What gifts did God give YOU?**

**What are YOU good at doing?**

**How are YOU like a deaconess or deacon?**

You can serve too!

W	E	R	G	T	V	K	I	E	P	H	U	G	W
E	I	D	N	I	W	B	N	O	O	R	N	S	P
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T	A	W	B	C	L	A	R	E	P	T	M	Y	D
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H	E	A	A	A	P	A	E	L	E	L	O	T	Y
A	A	P	L	W	L	T	N	A	A	H	R	H	K
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COOK  
DRAW  
PAINT  
PLANT  
CLOTHE  
HELP  
WRITE  
TEACH  
READ  
WORK  
PLAY  
WELCOME  
PRAY  
SEW  
LEAD  
BUILD  
SING  
ACT  
VISIT  
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